As a flight attendant for a major airline I feel the use of cell phones inflight would be hazardous to not only ourselves, but the passengers as well. It would allow suspected terrorists to advise others of our duties and/or position onboard the aircraft, as well as the possible identification and location of Federal Air Marshals who may be onboard. There is also no hard evidence that the use of cell phones onboard does not create a problem with the radio and navigational systems of the aircraft. The noise level during flight would at least triple as passengers would have to speak loudly to compensate for the already sometimes noisy flight. This would be disturbing to those passengers who are trying to work or sleep. Allowing cell phones during flight is not a good idea no matter how you look at it. The flight attendants have so many duties and security measures to follow as it is, trying to "police" the use of cell phones would be a major burden on us.
Thank you.